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Docket No.: D6167CIP

The Assistant Commissioner of Patents BOX PATENT APPLICATION Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the continuation-in-part patent application which claims benefit of priority under 35 USC §120 of USSN 09/407,511, filed September 28, 1999, now pending, which claims benefit of priority under 35 USC §119(e) of U.S. provisional application number 60/102,257, filed September 29, 1998, now abandoned, in the:

Name of: Curiel, et al.

For: Immunomodulation by Genetic Modification of Dendritic

Cells and B Cells

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X Small Entity Statement

A small entity statement is enclosed and its benefit under 37 CFR 1.28(a) is hereby claimed.

X Relate Back--35 U.S.C. 119(e)

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X Sequence Listing

The sequence listing is enclosed, including a paper copy, a computer readable form and a compliance letter indicating that the sequence listing on the paper copy and the disk are one and the same.

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- Continuation-in-part application + 30 sheets of drawings; 1)
- Transmittal Letter: 2)
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- 4) Verified Statement of Small Entity Status;
- Sequence Listing, Compliance Statement & CRF disk; 5)
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Respectfully submitted,

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